

The Honorable Benjamin H. Settle

Presented to the Court by the foreman of the
Grand Jury in open Court, in the presence
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DISTRICT COURT at Seattle, Washington

December 18, 2024

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT TACOMA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

RYAN MATTHEW GENNETTE,

DONALD YANG BUDGE,

Defendants.

NO. CR24-5259BHS

SUPERSEDING INDICTMENT

The Grand Jury charges that:

COUNT 1

(Conspiracy to Distribute Controlled Substances)

Beginning at a time unknown, and continuing until at least November 18, 2024, in
Island and Pierce Counties, within the Western District of Washington, and elsewhere,
RYAN MATTHEW GENNETTE, DONALD YANG BUDGE, and others known and
unknown, did knowingly and intentionally conspire to distribute a controlled substance,
including: methamphetamine, and N-phenyl-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl]
propanamide (fentanyl), substances controlled under Title 21, United States Code.

The Grand Jury further alleges that with respect to RYAN MATTHEW
GENNETTE and DONALD YANG BUDGE, their conduct as a member of the

1 conspiracy charged in Count 1, which includes the reasonably foreseeable conduct of
2 other members of the conspiracy charged in Count 1, involved 50 grams or more of
3 methamphetamine, its salts, isomers, or salts of its isomers, and 500 grams or more of a
4 mixture or substance containing a detectable amount of methamphetamine, in violation of
5 Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(b)(1)(A).

6 The Grand Jury further alleges that with respect to RYAN MATTHEW
7 GENNETTE and DONALD YANG BUDGE, their conduct as a members of the
8 conspiracy charged in Count 1, which includes the reasonably foreseeable conduct of
9 other members of the conspiracy charged in Count 1, involved 400 grams or more of a
10 mixture and substance containing a detectable amount of fentanyl, in violation of Title
11 21, United States Code, Section 841(b)(1)(A).

12 All in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Sections 841(a)(1) and 846.

13 COUNT 2

14 (Attempted Distribution of Controlled Substances)

15 On or about June 3, 2024, in Island County within the Western District of
16 Washington, and elsewhere, RYAN MATTHEW GENNETTE and others known and
17 unknown, did knowingly and intentionally attempt to distribute, and aid and abet the
18 attempted distribution of, a controlled substance, including: methamphetamine and
19 fentanyl, substances controlled under Title 21, United States Code.

20 The Grand Jury further alleges that this offense involved 500 grams or more of
21 methamphetamine, its salts, isomers, or salts of its isomers.

22 It is further alleged that this offense involved 400 grams or more of a mixture or
23 substance containing a detectable amount of fentanyl.

24 The Grand Jury further alleges that this offense was committed during and in
25 furtherance of the offense alleged in Count 1 (Conspiracy to Distribute Controlled
26 Substances).

1 All in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Sections 841(a)(1), 841(b)(1)(A)
2 and 846, and Title 18, United States Code, Section 2.

3 **COUNT 3**

4 **(Distribution of Controlled Substances)**

5 On or about July 3, 2024, in Pierce County, Washington within the Western
6 District of Washington, and elsewhere, RYAN MATTHEW GENNETTE, and others
7 known and unknown, did knowingly and intentionally distribute, and aid and abet the
8 distribution of, a controlled substance, including methamphetamine, a substance
9 controlled under Title 21, United States Code.

10 It is further alleged that this offense involved 500 grams or more of a mixture or
11 substance containing methamphetamine, its salts, isomers, or salts of its isomers.

12 The Grand Jury further alleges that this offense was committed during and in
13 furtherance of the offense alleged in Count 1 (Conspiracy to Distribute Controlled
14 Substances).

15 All in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Sections 841(a)(1), 841(b)(1)(A),
16 and Title 18, United States Code, Section 2.

17 **COUNT 4**

18 **(Distribution of Controlled Substances)**

19 On or about October 3, 2024, in Pierce County, Washington within the Western
20 District of Washington, and elsewhere, RYAN MATTHEW GENNETTE, DONALD
21 YANG BUDGE, and others known and unknown, did knowingly and intentionally
22 distribute, and aid and abet the distribution of, a controlled substance, including
23 methamphetamine, a substance controlled under Title 21, United States Code.

24 It is further alleged that this offense involved 500 grams or more of a mixture or
25 substance containing methamphetamine, its salts, isomers, or salts of its isomers.

1 The Grand Jury further alleges that this offense was committed during and in
2 furtherance of the offense alleged in Count 1 (Conspiracy to Distribute Controlled
3 Substances).

4 All in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Sections 841(a)(1), 841(b)(1)(A),
5 and Title 18, United States Code, Section 2.

6 **COUNT 5**

7 **(Distribution of Controlled Substances)**

8 On or about October 28, 2024, in Pierce County, Washington within the Western
9 District of Washington, and elsewhere, RYAN MATTHEW GENNETTE, DONALD
10 YANG BUDGE, and others known and unknown, did knowingly and intentionally
11 distribute, and aid and abet the distribution of, a controlled substance, including
12 methamphetamine, a substance controlled under Title 21, United States Code.

13 It is further alleged that this offense involved 500 grams or more of a mixture or
14 substance containing methamphetamine, its salts, isomers, or salts of its isomers.

15 The Grand Jury further alleges that this offense was committed during and in
16 furtherance of the offense alleged in Count 1 (Conspiracy to Distribute Controlled
17 Substances).

18 All in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Sections 841(a)(1), 841(b)(1)(A),
19 and Title 18, United States Code, Section 2.

20 **COUNT 6**

21 **(Distribution of Controlled Substances)**

22 On or about November 14, 2024, in Lewis County, Washington within the
23 Western District of Washington, and elsewhere, DONALD YANG BUDGE, and others
24 known and unknown, did knowingly and intentionally distribute, and aid and abet the
25 distribution of, a controlled substance, including methamphetamine, a substance
26 controlled under Title 21, United States Code.

1 It is further alleged that this offense involved 500 grams or more of a mixture or
2 substance containing methamphetamine, its salts, isomers, or salts of its isomers.

3 It is further alleged that this offense involved 400 grams or more of a mixture or
4 substance containing a detectable amount of fentanyl.

5 All in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Sections 841(a)(1), 841(b)(1)(A),
6 and Title 18, United States Code, Section 2.

7 **FORFEITURE ALLEGATION**

8 The allegations contained in Counts 1–6 of this Indictment are hereby realleged
9 and incorporated by reference for the purpose of alleging forfeiture.

10 Upon conviction of any of the offenses alleged in Counts 1, 4, and 5, RYAN
11 MATTHEW GENNETTE and DONALD YANG BUDGE shall forfeit to the United
12 States, pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853, any property that
13 constitutes or is traceable to proceeds of the offense, as well as any property that
14 facilitated the offense. Such property includes, but is not limited to, the following
15 property seized from MATTHEW GENNETTE on or about November 18, 2024:

- 16 a. one silver and gold colored Rolex CLS 72200;
17 b. one silver and blue colored Rolex watch face, #326934;
18 c. one Heckler & Koch GMBH Obendorf/Neckar pistol, S/N 127773;
19 d. one Taurus pistol with light attachment, S/N TDS64096;
20 e. one Glock magazine containing 16 rounds of 9mm ammunition;
21 f. one Taurus magazine containing 4 rounds of Fiocchi USA ACP
22 ammunition;
23 g. one dark grey magazine containing 7 rounds of S&B ammunition;
24 h. one Taurus magazine containing 10 rounds of JAG 9mm
25 ammunition;
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- i. one Sig Sauer 9mm magazine containing 15 rounds of ammunition;
and
- j. any other associated magazines, firearm accessories, and
ammunition.

Upon conviction of either of the offenses alleged in Counts 2 and 3, RYAN MATTHEW GENNETTE shall forfeit to the United States, pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853, any property that constitutes or is traceable to proceeds of the offense, as well as any property that facilitated the offense.

Upon conviction of the offense alleged in Count 6, DONALD YANG BUDGE shall forfeit to the United States, pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853, any property that constitutes or is traceable to proceeds of the offense, as well as any property that facilitated the offense.

Substitute Assets. If any of the above-described forfeitable property, as a result of any act or omission of the defendant,

- a. cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;
- b. has been transferred or sold to, or deposited with, a third party;
- c. has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the Court;
- d. has been substantially diminished in value; or
- e. has been commingled with other property which cannot be divided without difficulty,


it is the intent of the United States to seek the forfeiture of any other property of the defendant, up to the value of the above-described forfeitable property, pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p).

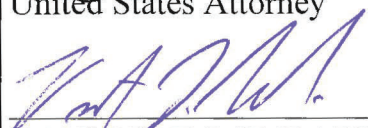
A TRUE BILL: *yes*

DATED: *12/18/2024*

Signature of Foreperson redacted pursuant to the policy of the Judicial Conference of the United States.

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